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[[(57)]] ABSTRACT

~~The invention also relates to a~~ A wrapping machine and/or a top foil wrapping machine ~~and to a method for storing/transporting said machine. The machine comprises a machine frame, which is supported on a fixed base and which comprises~~ has upright vertical columns and horizontal cross members connecting the vertical columns to each other. Each vertical column ~~comprises~~ has at least two column parts detachably joined together end on end, ~~said the column parts comprising including~~ a lower column part and an upper column part. Only the lower column parts of the vertical columns are connected to each other by the cross members while the upper column parts are not connected to each other. To store and/or transport the machine, the machine is reduced to a low size (A) for packaging, by detaching the upper column parts from the lower column parts of the vertical columns; ~~the machine is transported and/or stored in the low packaged size (A); and, at the place of use, the~~ The upper column parts ~~are secured~~ may be reattached to the lower column parts to install the machine from the packaged size (A) to a full working size (B).

Fig. 1